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SUBJECT: COMPROMISE REACHED ON BANK RECORD SUBPOENA

REF: STATE 244747

1. ROK AMBASSADOR KIM YONG-SHIK OCTOBER 13 INFORMED ASSISTANT SECRETARY HOLBROOKE THAT THE ROK EMBASSY HAS REACHED A SATISFACTORY AGREEMENT WITH THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE AS ANTICIPATED IN REFTEL. EMBASSY WILL SHOW COMMITTEE ALL BANK RECORDS WHICH WERE REQUESTED AND IN TURN COMMITTEE HAS WITHDRAWN SUBPOENA.

2. KIM EXPRESSED CONCERN FOR CONFIDENTIALITY, HOWEVER. EMBASSY SOUGHT COMMITTEE'S AGREEMENT TO KEEP RECORDS CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT TO LET PRESS AND WASHINGTON DIPLOMATIC COMMUNITY KNOW THAT RECORDS HAD BEEN PROVIDED. REPORTEDLY, NO ASSURANCES OF SECRECY HAVE BEEN FORTHCOMING FROM THE COMMITTEE, HOWEVER,

3. ASSISTANT SECRETARY HOLBROOKE CONGRATULATED KIM ON CONFIDENTIAL

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THIS WISE ROKG DECISION TO COOPERATE POSITIVELY WITH THE INVESTIGATIONS, BUT CAUTIONED THAT THIS ONE STEP DID NOT SOLVE ALL PROBLEMS AND THAT THE ROKG IS NOT OUT OF THE WOODS ON THIS YET. VANCE

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